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A substance consisting of an acid addition salt of a morphine alkaloid and an organic acid is provided.

The organic acid is selected from:

- monoesters of C₃- to C₁₆-dicarboxylic acids with monohydric C₁- to C₄-alcohols,
- C₂- to C₁₆-sulfonic acids,
- substituted benzoic acids, selected from the group of halogen, hydroxy, alkyl, hydroxyalkyl, alkoxyalkyl and/or alkoxy-substituted benzoic acid, as well as of the aminosubstituted benzoic acids, which may optionally be alkylated at the N atom,
- substituted or non-substituted 5-ring or 6-ring heterocycles comprising at least one N or S atom and having a carboxyl group function,
- saturated or unsaturated, optionally substituted, oxo-carboxylic acids having 5 to 10 C atoms,
- phenyl-substituted or phenoxy-substituted saturated C₂- to C₄-carboxylic acids.
- aliphatic, aromatic or heterocyclic C₂- to C₁₂-amino acids, wherein one amino group is substituted with an - optionally substituted - C₂- to C₆-alkanoyl group or an - optionally substituted - benzoyl group.